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Enclosed herewith for the patent application identified above entitled PHARMACEUTICAL COMPOSITIONS AS INHIBITORS OF DIPEPTIDYL PEPTIDASE-IV (DDP-IV) are the following:

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